

ASHLEY M. GJØVIK

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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Passionate & influential advocate with 10+ years of public interest and government experience and 20+ years of professional experience. Current J.D. & International Law Certificate Candidate at Santa Clara University focusing on public interest law & policy. Committed to maintaining a reputation based on exemplary performance, public service, and uncompromising ethics. Adept at managing complex projects and large teams, researching & writing about novel topics, collaborating with stakeholders on high-stakes objectives, and leading policy discussions. Interests include:

- Public Policy Advocacy
- Public Interest Law
- Human Rights
- Conflict Resolution
- International Law
- Stakeholder Relations
- Legal Research/Analysis
- Government Affairs
- Policy Research/Analysis
- Reporting
- Project Management
- Community Education

EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Juris Doctor Candidate, 2018-2022

Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA

- International Law Certificate Candidate, with honors.
- Dean's List and Emery Merit Scholar – all years; Current 3.84 GPA.
- Witkin Award for Academic Excellence – Property Law
- CALI Excellence for the Future Award – Statutory Analysis & The Legislative Process; Public Health Law; Property Law
- Other Electives: International Law; International Environmental Law; Labor Law; Employment Discrimination Law; Immigration Law; Administrative Law
- In Progress: Human Rights Law; Restorative Justice

Publications:

- *Elon Musk's "City-State" on Mars: An International Problem*, Modern Diplomacy, 2021
- *Chagos: An Achievement in Self-Determination with a Treacherous Path to Decolonization*, Modern Diplomacy, 2021
- *Groundwater Rise: An International Problem that California Must Solve*, Citizen Yang, 2021
- Unpublished: *The Hawai'i Affair: American Imperialism and the Engineering of Territorial Expansion: The legal and political status of the Hawaiian Islands at the turn of the 19th century*

International Law & Transitional Justice, Summer 2021

Oxford University, Oxford, UK

- Seminars on English Legal Institutions; Tutorials on Transitional Justice

Project Management Professional (PMP) Certificate, Credential ID: 1672877, 2013-2022

Bachelor of Science in Liberal Studies, 2006-2012

Portland State University, Portland, OR

- Interdisciplinary focus across Science, Social Science, and Arts & Letters.
- Minors in Literature and Writing. Additional focus on Women's Studies
- Honors & Awards: Dean's List; Sigma Tau Delta International English Honors Society

Ecology Focus, 2004-2005

Bennington College, Bennington, VT

EXPERIENCE

Legal & Policy Leadership

- **Refugee Legal Case Worker**, Asylum Seeker Resource Centre, Sept 2021-Dec 2021
- **Director of Inclusion & Diversity**, ACLU NorCal Santa Clara Law Club, 2021-2022
- **Board Member & ACLU NorCal Liaison**, ACLU San Francisco Chapter, May 2021-Sept 2021
- **Criminal Justice Policy Research Assistant**, No New Jail SF, March 2021-June 2021
- **Civic Engagement & Voting Project Lead**, Apple Inc, 2019-2020
- **Human Rights Legal Research Volunteer**, Law Foundation of Silicon Valley, Fall 2020
- **Teachers Assistant, Administrative Law**, Prof. Dorothy Glancy, Santa Clara Law, Fall 2020
- **Legal & Policy Intern**, AI Ethics, Apple, Inc., May 2019-Aug. 2019
- **Lead Volunteer Writer: Digital Bill of Rights**, Mashable, 2013
- **Government & Community Relations Assistant**, NCSd, Jan. 2008-Aug. 2008
- **Political Canvasser**, Various local school district bond measures, 1996-2000

Engineering & Science Leadership

- **Community Outreach Chair**, Environmental Law Society, Santa Clara Law, 2021-2022
- **Senior Engineering Program Manager, Apple, Inc.**, Feb. 2017-Sept. 2021
 - Chief of staff and advisor to the executive team. Managed cross-functional communication, process improvements, product planning, employee satisfaction and engagement initiatives, and inclusion and diversity programs. Frequently brought in as a “fixer” for a variety of large, cross-functional programs with complex, systemic issues.
- **Community Education Volunteer, Env. Health**, Cal. Dept. of Public Health, 2021
- **Engineering Program Manager, Software Failure Analysis**, Apple, Apr. 2016-Jan. 2017
- **Engineering Project Manager, iOS Release Management**, Apple, Feb. 2015-Apr. 2016
- **Digital Software Release Manager**, Nike, Jun. 2014-Feb. 2015
- **Supply Chain Software Release Manager**, Nike, Mar. 2013-Jun. 2014
- **Medical Team Member**, Portland Animal Welfare (PAW) Team, 2007
- **Life Science Laboratory Volunteer**, Oregon Museum of Science & Industry, 2006
- **Educator’s Apprentice, Life & Earth Science**, Oregon Museum of Science & Industry, 2004-5
- **Computer Technician & System Administrator**, NCSd, Nov. 2004-Dec. 2005
- **Ecology Field & Research Assistant**, Dr. Kerry Woods, Bennington College, 2004
- **Chemistry Laboratory Assistant**, Dr. Janet Foley, Bennington College, 2004

Business & Organizing Leadership

- **Co-Founder & Co-Chair of Women of PSQ**, women’s community group, Apple, 2017-2020
- **Divestiture Project Manager, Human Resources**, Nike & Cole Haan, Nov. 2012-May 2013
 - *Awarded Nike HR Maxim Award: “0.2 Nike is a Company”*
- **Project Manager, Office of the CIO**, Portland State University, Nov. 2011-Jan. 2013
- **Human Resources Specialist**, North Clackamas School District (NCSd), Aug. 2008-Jan. 2010
- **Housing Representative & Tenant Advocate**, Portland State University, 2009-2010
- **Finance & Accounting Clerk**, NCSd Mar. 2008-Aug. 2008
- **Co-Organizer, American Red Cross Blood Drive**, Clackamas High School, 2004
- **Chef, Kitchen Manager, & Catering Team Lead**, Sabin-Schellenberg Center, 2003-2004
- **Curriculum, Instruction, & Assessment Office Assistant**, NCSd, Sept. 2000-Aug. 2001